

Prayer

Now this is the **confidence** that we have in Him, that **if we ask** anything **according to *HIS WILL*, He hears us.**

1 John 5:14 NKJV

The **most important** thing about **praying *IS sincerity.***

There is **not any specific way** you need to pray **or words** you always need to say.

You do not need a specific place or time to pray. Pray **standing**, sitting, **kneeling**, lying in bed....

But you should **ask all things in the name of Jesus.**

Prayer is *or should be* a conversation between you and God.

Rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, **continuing steadfastly in prayer.**

Romans 12:12 NKJV



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The only true peace you will have in this time of **Tribulation** will be **reading God's word** and the time you spend **praying**.

You should always pray and ask God to **protect** you.

*He may choose to **miraculously** preserve you, for His purpose.*

ALWAYS be about the FATHER'S Business!

You are at your **strongest** when you are **on your knees in prayer**.

No *chanting*. No *communing* with the ***spirits***. **No *meditation*** to a ***higher plain*** of existence.

All of these practices can cause you to be engaged in communication **with demon spirits**. That is ***Not Allowed!***

In general, you want to **try** to continually **focus** your thoughts upward toward God

(this does ***NOT*** mean ***mindless meditation*** or trying to reach a ***higher spiritual plain***).

But **your goal** is to be in **constant conversation** (prayer) **with God**.

Rejoice *always*, **pray without ceasing**,
in everything give thanks; for this is the
will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 NKJV

Let us remind you that **you are not perfect and are not expected to be.**

You will NOT be able to maintain this prayerful conversation **constantly.**

That is not something you are likely to achieve here on earth. But **redirecting your focus on a regular basis back toward Jesus will give you comfort.**

That **does not mean** *ALL* of your prayers **will be** answered the way you might want.

In fact, from many of our personal experiences **we have often been surprised** at how **God** has answered our prayers.

But God CAN answer immediately, and **He CAN** answer exactly as you asked and expected.

Sometimes the answer is ***NO.***
Sometimes it is WAIT.